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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
AND NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Applicants respectfully request a 3-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for responding to the Office Action mailed on April 9, 2008, in the above-captioned application. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the time for response be extended up to and including October 9, 2008. Please charge the amount of \$1110.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0206 to cover 3-month extension of time fee. In the event of any variance between the amount enclosed and the fees determined by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, please charge or credit any such variance to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the Examiner rejecting claims 1-45 in the above-captioned application. Please charge the amount of \$540.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0206 to cover the Notice of Appeal fee. In the event of any variance between the amount enclosed and the fees determined by the U.S. Patent

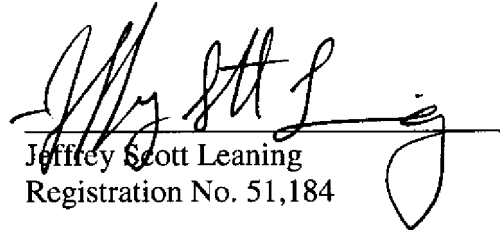
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